House File 246 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act expanding the definition of a manufacturer of native
- 2 wine.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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- 1 Section 1. Section 123.56, subsection 7, Code 2011, is
- 2 amended to read as follows:
- 7. For the purposes of this section, "manufacturer" includes 4 only those persons the following:
- 5 a. Persons who process in Iowa the fruit, vegetables,
- 6 dandelions, clover, honey, or any combination of these
- 7 ingredients, by fermentation into wines.
- 8 b. Persons who originate or formulate a design or profile
- 9 for wine and who contract with another manufacturer for the
- 10 use of that manufacturer's facilities for the production of
- 11 the wine. A manufacturer as defined in this paragraph shall
- 12 be authorized to sell, deliver, or ship native wine according
- 13 to the terms of the applicable permit on the same basis
- 14 as a manufacturer who owns and operates facilities for the
- 15 production of native wine.
- 16 EXPLANATION
- 17 This bill expands the definition of a manufacturer of
- 18 native wine. A manufacturer of native wine is currently
- 19 defined in Code section 123.56 to refer only to persons
- 20 who process specified ingredients by fermentation into
- 21 wine. The bill provides that a manufacturer also includes
- 22 persons who originate or formulate a design or profile for
- 23 wine and contract with another manufacturer for the use of
- 24 that manufacturer's facilities for the production of the
- 25 native wine. The bill states that this new classification of
- 26 manufacturer shall be authorized to sell, deliver, or ship
- 27 native wine according to the terms of the applicable permit
- 28 on the same basis as a manufacturer who owns and operates
- 29 facilities for the production of native wine.